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In re application of

Rainer OBWEGER et al.

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Group 4132

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DEVICE AND METHOD FOR WET TREATING DISC-LIKE SUBSTRATES

AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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April 22, 2009

Sir:

Responsive to the Official Action of January 23, 2009,
please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this
paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing
of claims which begins on page 8 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 19 of this paper.

An **Appendix** is attached following the signature page of
this paper.